UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS EL PASO DIVISION

LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN CITIZENS, et al.,

Plaintiffs

Civil Action No. 3:21-CV-00259 DCG-JES-JVB

(Consolidated Action: Lead Case)

v.

GREG ABBOTT, et al.,

Defendants.

PRIVATE PLAINTIFFS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE BRIEF IN OPPOSITION TO LEGISLATORS' MOTION TO QUASH AND FOR LEAVE TO EXCEED PAGE LIMIT

Private Plaintiffs in these consolidated cases¹ respectfully move this Court for leave to file their Brief in Opposition to Legislators' Motion to Quash or Modify Deposition Subpoenas and Motion for Protective Order, ECF No. 259 (the "Motion to Quash"). Private Plaintiffs' Brief in Opposition to the Motion to Quash is attached as Exhibit A and Proposed Order is attached as Exhibit B. Additionally, Private Plaintiffs seek leave to file a Brief in excess of ten (10) pages, pursuant to L.R. CV-7(d)(3). Counsel for Legislators have stated that they do not oppose this Motion.

The Motion to Quash challenges subpoenas that the United States served on Texas State Representatives Ryan Guillen, Brooks Landgraf, and John Lujan (collectively, "Legislators") on April 20, 2022 and May 3, 2022. Private Plaintiffs jointly served their own deposition subpoenas

¹ Private Plaintiffs are plaintiffs in each consolidated case, except for *United States v. Texas*, No. 3:21-cv-00299.

on Legislators on May 6, 2022, designating the same deposition dates as provided for in the United

States' original subpoenas. These cases have been consolidated for discovery purposes, ECF No.

16, and Private Plaintiffs plan to question Legislators at their depositions. The Motion to Quash

therefore implicates Private Plaintiffs' interests, and Private Plaintiffs respectfully request that the

Court allow Private Plaintiffs to file the attached Brief in Opposition to the Motion to Quash.

Additionally, Private Plaintiffs seek leave to file a Brief in excess of ten (10) pages, for up

to fifteen (15) pages, for sufficient opportunity to explain the factual and legal bases for their

Opposition to Legislators' Motion to Quash. Granting this Motion will not prejudice any party.

Counsel for Legislators have stated that they do not oppose this Motion.

CONCLUSION

For the forgoing reasons, Private Plaintiffs respectfully request that this Unopposed

Motion for Leave be granted.

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

Counsel for Private Plaintiffs conferred with counsel for the Legislators in a good-faith attempt to resolve the subject matter of this Motion, and counsel for the Legislators indicated that they do not oppose this Motion.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on May 11, 2022, the foregoing document was filed electronically (via CM/ECF), and that all counsel of record were served by CM/ECF.

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